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1. US TIN,LATE PRICES QUOTED PER BASE BOX. BASE BOX IS UNIT OF AREA OF 112 SHEETS, 14 BY 20 INCHES, OR 31,360 SQUARE INCHES (217.78 SQUARE FEET). TINPLATE SOLD IN SHEETS OTHER THAN 14 BY 20 INCHES OR IN COILS IS CONVERTED TO BASE BOX EQUIVALENT. FOLLOWING ARE PUBLISHED US PRICES SINCE 1970 FOR ONE-QUARTER POUND (OF TIN COATING USED PER BASE BOX) ELECTROLYTIC TINPLATE; SINGLE REDUCED; 55 TO 75 LBS. PER BASE BOX; FOB PITTSBURGH:

2. FROM OCTOBER 1968 THROUGH JANUARY 1970, 8.45 DOLS; FEB. 1, 1970, 8-45 DOLS; OCT. 1, 1970, 9.00 DOLS; DEC. 20, 1971, 9.60 DOLS; FEB. 16, 1973, 10.00 DOLS; MARCH 12, 1974, 10.50 DOLS; MAY 8, 1974, 11.00 DOLS; JUNE 14, 1974, 12.30 DOLS; AUG. 13, 1974, 13.30 DOLS; JAN. 7, 1975, 13.80 DOLS; JAN. 22, 1975, 14.50 DOLS.
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3. WORLD TINPLATE PRICES NOT READILY AVAILABLE HERE. EMBASSY REQUESTED ADVISE MOROCCANS THEY MIGHT WISH TO EXPLORE OBTAINING THIS INFORMATION FROM INTERNATIONAL TIN COUNCIL (ITC), 28 HAYMARKET, LONDON. ITC'S CHIEF STATISTICIAN IS MR. A. LA SPADA. KISSINGER

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